

I oppose loosening the rules designed to promote and protect diversity of media ownership. These rules were adopted to ensure that the public would receive a diverse range of viewpoints from the media, and not simply the opinions of a handful of media conglomerates. The cable ownership

cap is a crucial element of our democratic media, and it should not be weakened.

Please protect the diversity of media ownership by NOT loosening the rules designed that were adopted to ensure that the public would receive a diverse range of viewpoints from the media, and on the CONSUMER front, allow for fair price competition between media companies. If you loosen these rules as you seem to intend to do I expect my cable price to go up (I live in an area of the country where I cannot even receive basic TV stations without cable connections) and I expect the cable companies in the future to dominate my access to the internet. For your information, Time Warner Cable is the ONLY cable company I have access to, so they already have a monopoly in my region.